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under the auspices of the Women's Institute will be held in the Hall on **THURSDAY, DECEMBER 6th, 1921**. A great collection of goods suitable for Xmas presents, to be sold at reasonable prices.

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Saturday, December 1

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If you have a visitor at your home, let The Standard have their names. Report neighbors' good happenings over the telephone. It costs you nothing but a few seconds time, and you thereby assist in making this a live, new local paper.
Your co-operation will be sincerely appreciated.

Coming Events

The Annual Dinner of the Ladies Aid on Saturday, December 1st, at 2 p.m. in the B. C. Cafe. Everything you need for Christmas. Free and cooking.

A U.P.A. Concert and Dance will be held in Orange Valley Schoolhouse on Tuesday, December 4. A good time is assured to all. Everybody come.

Nightingale U.P.A. will hold a Masquerade, Dec. 5, in the hall on Nov. 25, and on Thanksgiving. Admission \$1.00, 2 prices. Good orchestra.

Costumes for Nightingale Masquerade, November 29, at Alberta Mercantile Store, Nightingale.

Hazlett's Confectionery has now opened a fine stock of the latest and best in confectionery in bulk and loose and confectionery, and candy. (Only) American brands is advised.

About your home picture at Glenholm school on December 11.

Be early and secure your Christmas presents. The date—Saturday, December 11th—the place—the B. C. Cafe—the time—2 p.m.

The Union church will hold their Christmas Tree on Friday, December 21st.

Spotlight! The Turkey shoot at Glenholm school on December 11th, commencing at 1 p.m. present. The boys or Mr. as he wishes, and lots of fun. Local birds providing the cats, and they know how. Get there, even if you have to leave home the night before. For full details see H. Groves, D. Fraser, M. Barber or P. J. Dunn.

Standard News

Mr. Made Stenness has purchased the Nordquist Hall.

A shower was given to Mr. and Mrs. D. Stenness in the hall last Monday evening. A number of dainty and useful presents were received, and a good time was had all around. Their many friends take this opportunity of wishing them much happiness and the best of luck.

Threshing operations are all completed now. Mr. Balach being the last one, and he finished last Saturday.

Competition in grain hauling is getting very keen. Last week Mr. A. C. Lind brought in a load of 157 bushels with four horses, but a day or so later he was left far behind by Mr. Bolich who brought in 174 bu. 40 lbs. with four horses. Whose next?

Visitors to Calgary last week were Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Dahl, Miss C. Gendling, Magnus Klar, J. B. Seested and T. P. Hansen, and Mrs. P. R. Knowlton.

Mr. Fred Christensen left on Friday for an extended visit to Denmark as a public utility, and to the name of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Christensen last Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. Fred Christensen.

Mr. L. R. Ceder had last week a visit to Vancouver.

Don't forget the bazaar in the basement of the Danish Church on December 1st.

The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hansen had the misfortune to fall out of a car, cutting his head in several places, which necessitated having three or four stitches put in.

Mr. Jack Gunnison was a weekend visitor to his home in Calgary last week. There are rumors of a dance to be held in Strathmore on November 28th.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Nordquist, and family, left last Wednesday for Walla Walla, Washington, where they intend to make their home.

Fire at King Edward Hotel

A fire alarm was rung in at 11 p.m. on Monday evening from the King Edward Hotel. Fortunately, however, it was confined to one room in the third story of the hotel, Mr. Miller, the manager, used a couple of fire extinguishers on the blaze, and the local firemen were along with both engines in a very short time, and were able to extinguish it in about ten minutes.

The origin of the fire is a mystery for the room was not occupied. The cause was first noticed by some boys playing on the lake.

Damage done was confined to the room in question, with exception of some damage in adjoining rooms, and the amount to R. P. K. was in the amount of five or six hundred dollars.

NIGHTINGALE TO ENLARGE HALL

The annual meeting of the Nightingale Community Association was held at the hall on Saturday last, Mr. Fred Thompson presiding. The secretary, H. L. Laverdine, gave a financial report, which showed a balance on hand of \$37. After much discussion it was decided that the hall be purchased for the building of a new hall to be used as a kitchen and for the neighborhood will be used for a school, and various arrangements will be put on during the winter to make up the necessary balance. The following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Mark Lumsbury; Vice-President, P. McLean; Secretary, C. A. Taylor; Treasurer, J. Groves; and G. Groves; Entertainment Committee, L. Groves, W. Omond, and W. Malson.

ALBERTA'S MUNICIPAL HOSPITALS

Significant commentary on the success of the serviceability of the municipal hospitals, especially at Strathmore, which is unique on the American continent is contained in the October number of the "Modern Hospital," the organ of the American Hospital Association, and the most influential hospital publication in the world.

The comment is in the shape of an editorial note in an article written by Arthur K. Whiston, supervisor of hospital organization in Alberta. The article is based on an address delivered by Mr. Whiston at the annual session of the Alberta Hospital Association. The article is printed in full, with the following note by the editor:

"The public demands upon the municipal hospital are becoming more and more exacting. The hospital as a semi-private institution where those who can afford it reside in case of sickness has some future. Today, we are trying to make the hospital an institution open to everyone who needs the facilities it offers. The municipal hospital is a public utility, and a public problem in that it must be charitable without being philanthropic so that its upkeep may not become a burden. The municipal hospital of Alberta has adjusted themselves to this difficulty through a plan by which the well pay for the hospital service, and the poor pay nothing for it. This, together with the one dollar a day rate charged patients, makes the municipal hospital a self-sustaining institution. The burden of maintaining the hospital is equally distributed among tax payers."

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Heavy Grain Movement

Not Enough Cars to Handle Grain

While the railway companies are moving some grain this year from Alberta than ever before in their history, yet there is a great shortage of cars at most points throughout the district, and all elevators are loaded to capacity, being only able to take in additional grain as they get cars.

It is very evident that the shipment of grain to the various elevators throughout the district will continue at the same rate throughout the whole of the winter, or at any rate, as long as the roads are passable.

Points such as Nightingale, Tudor, and Rockyford, where railways are not available, seem to be better supplied with cars than other points served by only one line.

Craigantler News

The threshing is finished, and the fields have been favorable, although some were hailed 105°. J. B. Duncan says he would have had a dry year.

L. H. Laverdine has been down to the Craigantler station, and the district office. Mr. N. H. Stubbins had the misfortune to break his leg, but under the care of Dr. Bowles of Glenora, she is progressing favorably.

W. Foley, the C.P.R. camp foreman, is being recommended for the Craigantler station. He had a dry year.

The school teacher, Miss Thompson, from a water tank, Miss Toogood, while passing across a lake near the camp, broke the ice, and the water being deep near the centre, went through, along with one of the pupils.

Threshing is finished. The average yield of wheat is about 55 bushels per acre.

There is some talk of mixed farming now. Mr. E. Beck, of Bassano, delivered seven sows, Dicks and Tamworths, to G. Collins, who rents his place from him feed them on shares.

In the southeast end of Craigantler district, the dairy cow is making good returns, as with the hogs. Some are selling the value of both.

Mr. J. A. Grant's mother, Mrs. A. S. Vancleave, is leaving Canada for Vancouver, B.C., by the S. S. Melita, sailing from St. John December 12th.

The C.P.R. are making large improvement at the south-east end of the district. New structures will look good, as the weather at present is drying things up, and there is nothing like being prepared.

The Craigantler farmers are all in favour of the C.P.R. new terms. There are some in the district who have their land paid for, so it looks good for the district.

Cheadle Notes

Mr. Jack McDonald, an old resident of this district, shipped a car of settlers off to C. this week.

Mr. T. Kilde and wife and R. Kay and J. Saberton were Calgary visitors this week.

Mr. Lyons, an old resident of the district, underwent a serious operation at the hospital in Calgary, on the 22nd inst., and at last report is doing as well as could be expected.

R. Kay, who had his shoulder hurt while pun, is getting along fine, but his arm still bothers him some.

The young folks have a dance to the Ladies' Hall on Friday, the 23rd inst., and well attended, and every one says they had a good time.

The elevator is full of grain again, and cars are not coming very fast to relieve the situation.

Carseland Notes

The new school building is finally completed, and will be ready for school purposes by December 10th.

The first event to be held in the new building will be a dance on Friday night, December 7th. It had been desired to have formal opening exercises with the help of the school children, on this date, but owing to its being so near Christmas time, the school opening and Christmas exercises will be held jointly on a date to be announced later.

The U.P.A. held a very interesting meeting last Saturday evening. Among other things taken up were, ordering of clothing delegates in convention at Calgary, also to see the U.P.A. local organization to call a Wheat Pool meeting. A much delayed report on the 4th July picnic was given, showing a net cash result of \$182.25.

John Nelson came back from Calgary last Saturday, driving a new Ford Sedan.

Fred Dalton, Wilbur Phillips, with two or three others left on Monday morning for the northwest to try their skill and nerve on the game. We wish them all kinds of luck.

L. A. Phillips returned from Winnipeg Sunday morning, reporting a well attended and very interesting meeting of the T.G.C.

A number from our district were in Calgary on business and pleasure last week.

The Ladies' Aid held their annual bazaar in the Church on Friday last. There were three booths: one for home cooking, one for both plain and fancy sewing, and one candy booth, which was attended by the C.G. I.T. girls, who had previously collected donations of sugar and made up approximately one hundred pounds into candy. This was all sold, and the money taken in was \$25.54.

There was also served in the afternoon and evening, at which time I'll bet Mike Brown thought he had lost his trade.

Everything sold like hot cakes, and in a short time there was nothing left to be sold. The total amount taken in was \$181.60.

There was also a meeting of the members of the Wheat Pool belonging to the Carseland district, to be held on Wednesday, December 5th, at 2 p.m. Very important business to be taken up, and a full attendance is requested.

The U.P.A. will put on a drive for members this week.

Mr. Little and family arrived in Carseland last Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Little's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. Dick.

Many of the young people attended the dance at Glenora school last Friday night.

Watch for the announcement of the dance to be held in the new school house, December 7th. Five-piece orchestra from Calgary.

Heard on the street at Carseland—E. Lister had a leather coat for sale.

There are two busy men in North America. W. L. Brown and Henry Ford.

Someone should throw a hat over the chimney of the new school house and put it down. In order to give the contractor a chance to put it up straight.

Who is the fellow with the pumpkin buttoned under his coat?

Curie Collins had to meet the east wind and get his hat blown off.

XMAS MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN AND EUROPE

XMAS MAIL FOR GREAT BRITAIN AND EUROPE can be sent by the steamer "Montclair" sailing from St. John on December 10th. Parcels to Great Britain may now be insured at the following rates: 12c for insurances not exceeding \$50.00; 30c for insurances exceeding \$50.00 and not exceeding \$100.00.

Strathmore Herd Achieves Fame

More First Prizes Secured On Prairie Circuit Than Of All Other Exhibitors Combined.

An interesting two column report from the pen of Mr. W. Dwyer Davis, describing the Holstein herd at Strathmore, now on exhibition at the Canadian Exposition, appears in Monday's issue of the "Calgary Herald."

Following is the introductory part of the article:

"The entire crew's eyes and ears were batted the countryside in a rapid and roving gaze, interested with which, on the western horizon, were those long stretches of rolling prairie, so peculiarly Alberta's own. Here and there an animal looked on as a good specimen, as if it wanted to turn backward and seek friendly cover for the night."

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Such were the reflections of the writer as he stood—not in summer—but in mid-November at the Canadian Pacific demonstration farm at Strathmore. He remembered that some four months ago—in July—more than five thousand miles away in the old land he had seen a similar scene as if struck with awe watching the setting sun on the Shropshire hills. It was one of those passing subconscious mental comparisons of climate in which Alberta, as it generally does, comes out decidedly "on top."

Previous Visit Recalled

The object of this article, however, is not to relate the writer's glowing though they may be. The writer some time previously had paid a visit to Strathmore, with a number of business and agricultural people interested in trench soils, and finding everything in an ultra state of perfection and order, he had then wondered whether there had not been a very special general cleanup for the occasion.

He had therefore accepted an invitation, extended at the time, to "drop in" again whenever he liked, hence the surreptitious visit.

But on this later occasion—in the large barn, probably the largest on the North American continent—everywhere in fact, there was the same scrupulous cleanliness the same order reduced to almost mathematical precision, and even the hooves looked as if they had a bath and a massage.

Quite a Character

One or two characters by the way, is quite a character, and deserves more than mere passing notice. He is a most marvellous memory for the milk production and pedigree of the dozen or so Holsteins under his charge. He can spit out in lightning fashion, and without the slightest hesitation, the weight of milk received from each cow right to the decimal point over a long period, and can say off-hand what their dam and grand-dam produced, and why one half-sister did not produce so much milk as the other, basing his opinion on spontaneous statistical records.

The writer believes that so keen is this man in his work that even in his dream he is figuring out the varying daily percentage of milk from each of the animals. But this man does something more than merely talk. Every Holstein in his care looks up to it as were just going to step into the show ring. The care of the animal is also speedily illustrated with all the other

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The U.F.A.

There has been a very considerable diminution of the membership of the United Farmers of Alberta during the past twelve months. The U.F.A. also suffered as a result of the Home Bank failure, having carried its deposit with that bank. Mr. Hignishman, the secretary has resigned.

Various reasons are given for the falling off in membership. The poor press for 1921 and 1922 are responsible to some extent. It is also stated that dissatisfaction with the Greenfield Government, which was sponsored by the U.F.A., is also a contributory factor.

Be that as it may, it would be a great misfortune if the U.F.A. was to lose permanently in prestige and influence. Farmer organizations are necessary to permanent success, and the U.F.A. has been a big factor in the building up of Alberta, and the cementing together of the various communities. We believe that the Association will weather the storm, but it will only be by active assistance of the individual farmers. Now that the year is over, the various U.F.A. branches should enter vigorously into membership campaigns, and those who are at present members should make a point of attending the next meeting or meetings of their locals.

One thing that hurts the U.F.A. is the ultra-radical element in it. There is always room for reform, but reform is best achieved by building from present institutions, rather than overturning them. Take the issue of taxation, for instance. From the expressions of opinion emanating from U.F.A. meetings and conventions it would have been imagined that the farmers were almost a unit in support of prohibition, but on the ballot, city and country polls both showed majorities against the existing law.

It is a pity that more adults did not attend the High School debates in Strathmore last week. It would have given them more hope of the future generation. The children of today are the voters of tomorrow, and the way the pupils have assumed the ground work of civic government gives promise of more intelligent popular government than we have at the present time.

Conservatives are holding a provincial convention on December 14, at Edmonton. While the public are not generally satisfied with the administration of the past two years, we doubt if they are ready for a return to party politics in Provincial affairs. The interests of Alberta would be better served by a reduction of the legislators to about fifteen. With less legislators we could pick better ones, and might then be able to conduct the affairs of the Province on a business basis, as they should be conducted.

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Don't say we have struck "th",
And made our vulgar style,
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We have our "at home" days,
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SUGAR BEETS
Sample of sugar beets grown near Raymond this season were tested in the Idaho Falls plant of the Utah-Idaho Amalgamated Sugar Company. Beets grown by Hyrum Kimball averaged 24.5 sugar and T. J. O'Brien's sample showed 19.5 sugar content. Raymond hopes to again secure a beet sugar industry.

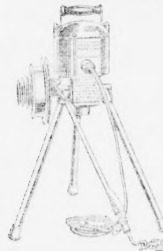
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High School Debate

A very interesting debate took place in Strathmore High School on Friday evening, between teams representing Strathmore and Youngstown High Schools. Many of the pupils attended, and a considerable number of adults. Rev. J. H. Gordon acted as judge, and Mr. Geo. Anderson as chairman.

Mr. Gordon was rather late in arriving, owing to his car having broken down, and pending his arrival, a short but snappy programme was given by pupils and staff, commencing with a pianoforte selection by Florence Garrett. Miss Gladys Lewendon obliged with a couple of songs, the accompaniment being rendered by Miss Eleanor Sawyer. Miss Lewendon also read selections from the school periodical, "The Literary Indigest." Percy Way and Jack Anglin rendered a "comic conversation," and Ernest Whitney obliged with a recitation.

The affirmative side of the debate, which was on the motion, "Should I be a lawman in Canada be Greenough?" was taken by two pupils of Youngstown High School, Brock Campbell and Bradford Sierst. The negative was taken by Miss Esther Stockton and Raymond Brown.

Throughout, it was of a high quality, and all the speakers were lucid and understandable. The various arguments, pro and con, were given as fully as the time allotted would allow. In summing up, the judge gave an explanation as to the process by which he had arrived at the marks given the various speakers. Raymond Brown was given two places with 36 marks; this being based on his delivery and the points he gave in support of his statements. Mr. Gordon decided the debate in favour of Strathmore, by a margin of three points.

The same evening two Strathmore High School boys, Alvah Downer and Donald Mackay, journeyed to Youngstown, and gained a victory over the Youngstown debaters.

The debaters are part of a provincial series. Strathmore debaters will meet another school in the Province on December 14. The high standard set in the high school debate is a tribute to the High School staff, as well as the capability of the pupils engaged.

Successful Bazaar

The Anglican Ladies' Guild held a most successful bazaar on Saturday, November 17th, in the E.C. Cafe. The following ladies were in charge of the stalls: Fanny work, Mrs. Cardstock; Agnes, Mrs. Radley; Baby's Clothes, Mrs. H. Wood; Dolls, Mrs. Oliver Whittier; Candy, Miss Gibson and Miss Watson; Teddy Bear, Dr. D. French; Flowers, Mrs. Eves; Tea, Mrs. J. French; Home Cooking, Mrs. Reeves and Mrs. Currie.

From an early hour the ladies were all busy disposing of their goods, and serving tea to the generous crowd. For once number thirteen was lucky for the Anglicans. The splendid sum of between \$275 and \$280 being realized. This was due to the hard work of the members of the guild and their friends during the past months. The Roman Catholics and the Anglicans have been successful in their efforts, and we trust the Union Church will be in theirs on December 1st.

Namaka Notes

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Thompson left for Calgary on Thursday last. On Saturday an operation was performed on Mrs. Thompson, and we are informed that her condition is perfectly satisfactory. James, who was in charge at home while his parents were away, met with a nasty accident on Saturday morning. Andy and he were rounding up the horses when the poor James was riding roll. He was, however, thrown clear, but hit the ground very hard, and was rendered unconscious for practically an hour. He was taken to the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Brown, where Dr. Givins attended him. The doctor reported no bones broken, but a very bad bruising and shaking. It is doubtful if his friends would know him just now. His face is very much swollen.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. McKinnon, and family, left for the east on Friday night, where they are spending a week's vacation.

Mrs. E. M. Myers left on Sunday night for the States, where she expects to spend the winter months.

Namaka Farm shipped two cars of prime hogs on Thursday last.

The U.G.G. shipped two cars last week, one cattle, and one mixed, comprising cattle and hogs.

Local Hottings

OF LOCAL INTEREST
• Readers are requested to send in items for this column not later than 12 o'clock Monday noon preceding day of publication. All local news items are welcome.
• By the Standard, Strathmore, Alberta.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Miner have now moved into the house they have bought on Second Street.

Johnny Schultz had a run of 57 days throwing, which he believed to be a record for this district. Any others to hear from?

Mr. L. B. O. Loomis installed a three thousand pound scale in his office last week.

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Norman Holmes on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Gardner are at present on a visit to their son, Robert.

Mrs. T. Phillips spent several days here the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Way.

It seems rather unusual to have skating and golf going at the same time, but both were in full swing last weekend.

The cutting of skating rinks have not been flooded yet, but flooding, now in progress, and when complete there will be one object for conversation for the rest of the winter.

Mr. R. S. Stockton, Superintendent Irrigation and Operation, returned Monday from a visit to the States.

Grain movement at various elevators is still hampered by shortage of cars.

Something is to be done by the Town of Strathmore and M. D. Bow Valley to afford temporary relief for the roads by placing of straw at bad spots. This would have been more effective if done a month ago. Probably some day we will be all satisfied with our roads even Bert Huffman.

Strathmore hockey is negotiating for entrance into one of the Calgary leagues.

Flooding of the skating and curling rinks commenced on Monday evening.

F. R. Lilly is attending the Secretary-Treasurers' Convention at Calgary today.

Mr. Fred H. Tucker, Town Clerk of Calgary, visited Strathmore Tuesday on his way to the Municipal Convention. Fred is one of Strathmore's old timers.

Letter from Mr. Bert Huffman received too late for insertion in this issue. Will be published in our next. Irrelevant to the issue, but not received at time of going to press.

TOURISTS BRING \$170,000.000

TO CANADA LAST YEAR

Winnipeg—More than \$170,000,000 came to Canada through tourist traffic during last year, according to an estimate received today from Ottawa by Canadian National Railways officials. In addition to the great number of tourists brought into Canada by the railways during the regular tourist season, which this year was the heaviest the Canadian National system has known, it is estimated that over 1,000,000 automobiles entered the nine provinces of Canada on business or pleasure during the season. During last year, according to government estimates, tourist traffic, as a revenue producer, took fourth place in Canada's industries. 594,239 automobiles entered Canada during the 1925 season, either for pleasure or business and of this number nearly 50,000 came from the western provinces and British Columbia. The Pacific coast province headed the list with 35,254 cars registered for entry; Manitoba was second with 10,674; Saskatchewan had 497 and Alberta 462. The 1925 figures, when available, will, it is expected show a large increase over these.

Another residence in town is being dismantled. Mr. S. J. Hilde is moving the house on his own property out to the farm.

Born, at Gleichen, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Thompson, late of Namaka, now residing at Strathmore, a fine eleven month boy on Saturday, November 21th.

Mr. J. P. Laurie attended the U.G.G. convention at Winnipeg last week. He was elected to represent this district.

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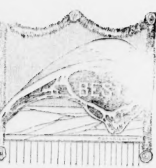
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November 28
THE JOYFUL REWARD—Well done, good and faithful servant; thou hast been faithful over a few things, I will make thee ruler over many things; enter thou into the joy of thy Lord.—Matthew 25:23.

November 29
GIVE THANKS—Bless the Lord, O my soul; and all that is within me, bless his holy name—Psalm 103:15.

November 30
NOT EVERY ONE THAT SATH LORD, LORD—Not every one that saith unto me, Lord, Lord, shall enter into the kingdom of heaven; but he that doeth the will of my Father which is in heaven.—Matthew 7:12.

December 1
DOMINION—God hath not given us the spirit of fear; but of power and of life, and of a sound mind—2 Timothy 1:7.

December 2
THE ONLY HEAL—For I the Lord thy God will hold thee right hand, saying unto thee, Fear not; I will help thee.—Isaiah 41:13.

December 3
VERY GOOD—And God saw every thing that he had made, and behold it was very good.—Genesis 1:31.

December 4
CURSE or BLESSING, Which?—He that withetheld corn, the people shall curse him; but blessing shall be upon the head of him that selleth it.—Proverbs 11:26.

\$5.00 Baby Coming

Stars Viola Dana

A photograph which has been heralded as one of the season's best is coming to the Memorial Hall on Saturday. It is Metro's "The Five Dollar Baby" with charming Viola Dana in the stellar role. Irvin S. Cobb wrote the story, which appeared some time ago in the Saturday Evening Post.

Miss Dana's newest characterization is that of a miss who has been adopted as a foundling by a pawnbroker, with whom she has been left. She appears in the play first as a tomboy of this town, causing havoc among the children in New York's Ghetto, where the story had its setting. Later, she appears as a grown-up girl, with her boarding school days behind her, and she promptly falls in love.

The life of the Ghetto is remarkably pictured in the play. Harry Beaumont, who directed the picture, has introduced a number of types which provide much amusement.

Ralph Lewis appears as the Jewish pawnbroker in an exceptionally fine characterization. Others in the cast are John Brown, Tom McGuire, Otto Hoffman, Arthur Rankin and Marjorie Maurice. Rex Taylor adapted the story for the screen. John Arnold was responsible for the photography and A. F. Manix was art and technical director.



Golf News

On Wednesday evening last a very enjoyable bridge party was held by the officers and members of Strathmore Golf Club, at the residence of the honorary president, H. S. Stockton. Ten tables did not crowd the spacious rooms, and the sum of forty dollars was realized to be used in much needed improvement of the putting greens next spring.

The bridge prizes for the evening were presented by the lady president, Mrs. V. C. Brown, to Mrs. VanFleet and Mr. Roland Hill, whose individual scores approximated 3,000 points. Vocal solos were given by Miss Watson, Mr. Liddell and Mr. Patrick. Dr. Robinson ably acting as accompanist, after which the entertainment committee served supper at the small tables from a buffet docket, with golden baby mums, and orange can- dles in silver candle sticks.

In the absence of Mr. Stockton an announcement of the winners of the season's golf trophies was made by the President Mr. Patrick, and the presentation of the following was gracefully made by Mrs. Stockton.

Men's club championship cup: Mr. H. H. Williams. Ladies club cham- pionship cup: Mrs. Gilbert Patrick. Men's club consolation medal: Mr. F. B. Young. Ladies club consolation medal: Mrs. A. W. Givins. Ladies- ladder prize: 1st Mrs. Ridley; ladies runner up prize, Mrs. VanFleet. Ladies one-club competition: 1st Mrs. H. H. Williams; 2nd Mrs. VanFleet. Mixed trophies prizes (club play): Miss Watson and Mr. H. Hill.

A vote of thanks to Mrs. Stockton was accorded unanimously, and the golf club records its first entertainment as highly successful.

MAIL YOUR PARCELS EARLY

Remember that thousands of other people are mailing an unusual number of letters and parcels late at this season, and if they all pile up together the last few days, it is impossible to get everything handled and delivered on time, and somebody is bound to be disappointed. Mail early, and see that your friends get your Xmas greetings before the day's festivities are over.

SOME CONCRETE FIGURES

It was at this point that George H. Loring, superintendent of the agricultural and animal industry branch of the Canadian Pacific department at Strathmore, stated that as many as forty-five had been on the record performance test during the past year; that some of the three-year-old Holsteins had given as much as 17,000 pounds of milk in the twelve months; that three-year-olds had given 15,000 pounds; while the mature animals had given up to 21,500 pounds.

Undoubtedly the farm has by far the best herd of cows with record certificates in comparison with any on the prairie, there being more than one hundred such official production records. The herd has not only demonstrated its efficiency in milk production but has continued this year to win honors in the show ring in competition with some of the most prominent show herds in Canada and the United States.

As a matter of fact more first prizes in the male classes were secured in the various shows on the prairie circuit this year than all those of the other exhibitors combined. At both Regina and Edmonton for instance, the herd won first in every class of bulls in which it was exhibited with the exception of one. Again in the senior bull calf class at Calgary and Edmonton the herd won first, second, third and fourth, notwithstanding very strong competition.

On Record Tests

Everything is done on record tests. From with the poultry more than 100 Barred Rocks and Rhode Island Reds have been entered in the record performance tests, and these entries have made a most creditable showing. All of the breeding stock now used in both flocks is from the record performance birds and among them are some of the best producers in the whole of Canada or the States.

Yankees and Berks are the two favorite varieties of hogs at Strathmore. A breeding herd of 25 sows are being carried over the winter. At the stock depot, which is the head-quarters of the best producing operations at Strathmore, one hundred and fifty steers are being finished. A new type of self feeder is being used which promises to be both a labor and feed saver.

U.F.W.A. Whist

Drive and Social

Strathmore U.F.W.A. are showing commendable enterprise in their social activities. Last Wednesday evening, November 21st, they have again held one of the Whist Drives which were so popular last winter. Mrs. H. W. Hinton kindly offered her home for the occasion. About twelve couples participated in the game. The prize winners were as follows: Ladies—first prize, Miss Mary Korok, Guelph—first prize, Mr. D. F. Heinemann. Mrs. Harold Wooten was trophy prize for the ladies, and Ujar Petersen for the gentlemen.

Amongst the distinguished visitors present were, Messrs T. A. Thomson and Harvey Hanson, of Nanaima. After a delightful lunch was served, Mr. Thomson gave a short address on the principles and functions of the Whist Pool, which proved very interesting to the audience, and a hearty vote of thanks was extended to him at the conclusion of the address.

Following Mr. Thomson's speech a number of musical selections were beautifully rendered by Mr. and Mrs. Wooten, Mesdames William Hinton and Fred Dunn. The singing was most delightful and warmly received and heartily enjoyed.

The evening closed with the singing of the National Anthem.

MY TOWN AND I

My town is the place where my home is founded, where my business is to be carried, where my vote is cast, where my children are educated, where my neighbors dwell and where my life is chiefly lived. I have chosen it after due consideration among all the cities of the earth. It is the home spot for me. My town has a right to my civic loyalty. It supports me and I must support it. My town wants my citizenship, not my passivity. I must be difference. My town applies me with law and order, trade, friends, education, morals, recreation, and the rights of a free-born citizen. I should be alive in my town, work for it, and I will. Edward J. Carson, in *St. Louis*. Now read that over again more slowly than for luck.

Some men make their own opportunities—others make their own difficulties. Hence, like the difference between success and failure.

LOUCKS WILL NOT START AS PRO.

Young Calgary Amateur Returning Home Friday After Tryout

The only amateur purchasers Calgary attempted to break in for professional company this winter, will not pass the barrier to bound into a season of action. That is Johnny Loucks, popular young junior star, who has been working out with the Tigers at Winnipeg. He is coming back home, leaving Winnipeg Friday night, and Herbie Lewis, the other young Calgary lad who has been holding out at Winnipeg and practicing with the Tigers will accompany Loucks.

Continues As Amateur

The amateur status of these players will not in any way be impaired by the fact that they trained with the pros.

Are Good Enough

Lloyd Turner, in a wire to The Herald, praises the showing made by the boys, but he says they will not break into the pros game for another season at best. He says: "Loucks and Lewis are both good enough for pro ranks, but we do not want them to break in this season."

Johnny Loucks played all this summer with Strathmore Baseball Club.

Exhibits for Chicago

Alberta will be well represented at the International Stock and Grain Show at Chicago. A splendid live stock exhibit has been sent forward. The Provincial Government and the University have not together a full exhibit of grains and grasses. There will also be 125 entries by individual farmers. Alberta is rapidly stepping into the front ranks for the production of registered seed grains, and these exhibits are being made for the purpose of finding a market for the United States for Alberta seed.

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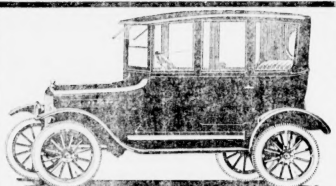
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INVESTIGATE RURAL CREDIT

Dr. H. M. Tomy, of Alberta University, has been commissioned by the Dominion Government to continue his investigations of the question of rural credits. In 1914 Dr. Tomy made a report on the rural credit system in countries overseas. The present inquiry will be into rural credits in Canada and the United States.

Here and There

Fifty cars of fish were shipped this season from Lesser Slave Lake to various points in Canada and the United States, the majority going to cities in the Eastern States. These shipments were practically all whitefish, the other varieties being disposed of in the local markets.

Showing a record increase over the figures of last year, grain harvests in the Western Provinces since the commencement of the crop year, September 1st, aggregate \$2,219 cars, representing 136,058,448 bushels, as against 80,225 cars loaded, or 50,225,194 bushels, from September 1st to October 14th, 1912.

That the future prosperity of the Maritime Provinces, as well as the whole of Canada, depended on the routing of Canadian trade over Canadian railways and through Canadian ports, was the view expressed by Dr. Murray MacLaren, M.P. for St. John, speaking recently in his constituency.

Tens of thousands of caribou are trekking southwards through Yukon Territory for the winter. Bands of them have passed through the outskirts of Dawson City. For a hundred miles down, bands of caribou can be seen swimming the Yukon river and sometimes surrounding towns and settlements as they pass.

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